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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Applicants filed a Request for Continued Examination on January 22, 2007 in response to an Advisory mailed December 6, 2007. Prior to reconsideration, please enter the following amendments in view of the following remarks.

A listing of claims is set forth on pages 2-7.

Remarks are set forth on pages 8-14.

A conclusion may be found on page 15.

If extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), and any fees required therefor (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account No. 23-1951.